

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Each year, 150,000 young children are abducted from their homes, and a tragically high percentage are never located; and,

WHEREAS, The families of these children endure untold agony as they wait, hope and pray for the return of their little ones; and,

WHEREAS, CHILD FIND, Inc., is a non-profit organization dedicated to locating missing children and educating families about prevention techniques; and,

WHEREAS, The single most effective tool available to people whose children are missing is public awareness, and CHILD FIND works with the printed and televised media; local, state and federal law enforcement agencies; and their own national network of dedicated, tireless volunteers to locate missing children; and,

WHEREAS, It is incumbent upon every citizen of South Dakota to be cognizant of the national tragedy of missing children and use whatever means possible to protect themselves from this heart-wrenching catastrophe; and,

WHEREAS, In a national effort to heighten public awareness, a day has been set aside to make America aware of the problem of missing children:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 25, 1984, as

MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY

In South Dakota, and I urge all South Dakotans to cooperate fully with authorities in providing any information which might reunite a missing child with his or her family.



ATTEST:

Alice Kundert
ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eighteenth Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Four

William J. Janklow
WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

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